

## WILLIMANTIC

The adjourned annual meeting of the Willimantic chapter, American Red Cross, was held Monday evening at headquarters with a large number of the board present. The election of officers resulted as follows: Frank P. Fenton, chairman; Mrs. Robert H. Fenton, vice chairman; A. C. Scribner, treasurer; and Mrs. D. E. Abel, secretary. These were all re-elections. The board elected E. P. Chesbro, chairman and Mrs. D. Everett Taylor, vice chairman of the executive committee. Considerable time was spent discussing the Christmas membership drive; the committee appointed to take charge of that was Mrs. Herbert B. Spaulding, Robert O. Branch, Judge James F. Twomey, H. P. Martindale, Alphense Chagnon and Judge Frank H. Foss.

The six men arrested for bootlegging in this city Saturday night were brought before United States Commissioner Richard F. Carroll in Hartford

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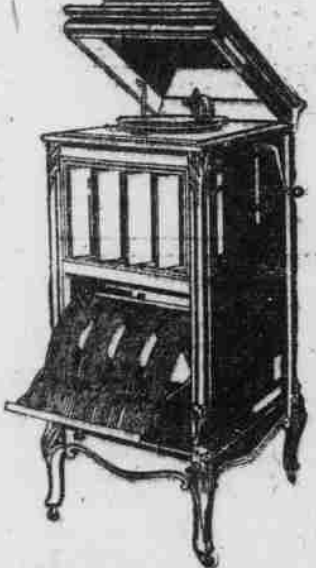
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Monday morning. They were charged with delivering liquor to members of the armed forces of the United States, and were held for hearing in the next term of the United States court. In default of bail, all six were taken to jail.

A number of members of the B. P. O. E. of Manchester are planning to visit the Willimantic lodge tonight when there will be a big class initiation.

The Willimantic Welfare Bureau held its November meeting at the rooms on Valley street, Monday night. The new executive secretary, Miss Helen Child, in her report stated that the bureau had on file records of 384 cases which had been taken care of by the association at various times. Of these cases 37 were investigated and cared for in the past month. Mrs. Ora M. Clark, the visiting nurse, reported having made 230 calls during the same time. This extraordinary number of calls resulted from the epidemic of influenza. Mrs. Clark stated that there was a special need of night clothing and bedding, which might be loaned by the bureau as need arises.

The first annual report of Mayor Charles A. Gates of the condition of the various departments of the city shows the total receipts of the treasurer \$158,192.68. This has been paid out for current expenses \$31,285.37; for permanent improvements, \$13,856.87; borrowed money paid, \$37,000; leaving cash on hand \$29,044.44.

## Municipal Debt.

100 Bonds, \$1,000 each, 4 per cent, due October 1, 1925	\$100,000.00
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Total	\$200,000.00

## Municipal Assets.

Sinking Fund	\$63,418.63
All other sources, including city property, and cash on hand	60,281.25
Net Liabilities	76,300.12
Total	\$200,000.00

## Water Department.

Cash on hand December 1, 1917	\$5,112.44
Received from water rates	25,085.14
Received from service connections	189.35
Received from sale of material	224.03
Total	\$30,511.03

## Water Department.

Current expenses	\$23,390.23
Paid to Sinking Fund	7,000.00
Cash on hand	4,220.81
Total	\$35,211.03

## Water Dept. Debt.

75 Bonds, \$1,000 each, 4 per cent, due October 1, 1924	\$75,000.00
50 Bonds, \$1,000 each, 4 per cent, due Oct. 1, 1929	50,000.00
Total	\$125,000.00

## Sinking Fund

	\$27,557.78
Net Liability	97,442.22
Total	\$125,000.00

## The several departments' record of work accomplished was listed as follows:

The health department during the year has continued successfully with the serious epidemic condition, for which Mayor Gates expressed his appreciation. The water department has installed a new turbine water wheel, and repaired the dam at the pumping station. The laying of 570 feet of sewer in John street has been completed by the sewer department this year. The municipal ice plant has resulted in a minimum price for consumers but has not been financially successful from the standpoint of the city. The fire department has increased its force by 45 men. The street department has done as well as its financial condition permitted and expenses have been curtailed because the work was considered non-essential was construction. In the matter of street lighting, the mayor said that he felt the service had not been entirely satisfactory, and should be improved in the future. During the year, 19,260 square feet of sidewalk have

been laid, one-third of the expense being met by the city, and two-thirds by the abutting property owners.

Some of the most important recommendations made by Mayor Gates were: the laying of an auxiliary high service on the main supply pipe for conducting water from the pumping station on the Natunung river to the corner of Jackson and Valley streets; the purchase of a 2 1/2 ton chassis to take the present equipment of the Sewerage Board and Laidon; the painting of the footbridge; the appointment of a committee on parks; the provision of a suitable place for the storing of city implements, wagons, etc.; the consolidation of some departments; the abolition of the city tax collector and the transfer of his duties to the city clerk.

The committee on Christmas packages will be in Room 12, Windham High school, this (Wednesday) afternoon, from 2 to 5, next week Monday and Wednesday from 2 to 5, and Friday from 2 to 5. The committee has a supply of additional labels (unaddressed) which will be furnished on application to the nearest relatives of members of the American Expeditionary Forces on or before Nov. 15, if no label has been received from the soldier.

Posters announcing the Red Cross nursing survey are conspicuous in most of the public places in town. This survey, which has been carried on during the past month, will be closed next Tuesday, and it is being urged that all nurses or all persons having had nursing experience who have not filled out their questionnaires will do so at once.

Tonight is the big night for the Elks, when lodges from ten of the cities of the state will be entertained by the local lodge. There will be a parade, forming on High street at 7 o'clock, marching down Main street to Lincoln square, counter-marching to the state armory. The armory has been beautifully decorated in flags and pennants of the national colors, the work of P. D. Donohue and his assistants. At the lodge hall a class of 57 will be initiated, followed by an entertainment and luncheon.

Because of the big Elks' parade tonight, Mayor Gates asks that motorists refrain from parking their cars on Main street, between Lincoln square and the Town building, after 7 o'clock.

The Neighborhood Whist club had its first meeting of the season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Case of Windham street.

The United War Work Campaign report in this district shows subscriptions to date of \$21,956.81, putting the district well over the top as the 150 per cent. quota is \$21,000. The only towns making complete returns are Columbia with \$745.90; Scotland with \$242.50; and Hampton with \$270.

Judge John E. Keeler of Stamford presided at the session of the superior court which was called to order at 10:15 Tuesday morning at the court room in the town building. At the calling of the jury list the following responded to their names:

Putnam—Warren S. Ames, Hector Duvert, Charles Clemens, Ashford—Roscoe H. Wright, Brooklyn—Mortimer M. Marlor, Chaplin—Charles B. Russ, Hampton—Lester H. Burnham, Killingly—Elmer C. Wood, Fred Shippee, Henry D. Crosby, Burdett S. Hopkins, Plainfield—Samuel E. Lewis, Henry O. Hopkins, Pomfret—Ferry B. Moffitt, Scotland—Gerald Waldo, Sterling—Charles O. Richerson, Thompson—Edward J. Keegan, Elmer H. Darling, Woodstock—Albert Williams, George Spalding, A. C. Morse, William S. Bates of Putnam, Benjamin Stevens of Eastford and Edward J. Keegan of Thompson were excused. Frank Miller of Canterbury is now residing in New York.

## JEWETT CITY

A double funeral was held at St. Mary's church Monday morning. Rev. J. J. McCabe celebrating the requiem mass. Mrs. Caroline Yocabini, 22, died Nov. 13 from bronchial pneumonia, and her daughter, Josephine, aged 10 years, died the next day from pneumonia. They lived in Woodlawn, Pa. Until a year ago the family lived in Jewett City where the husband, Calhoun Yocabini, was employed as a section hand. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery. Hourigan Bros. were in charge of the funeral arrangements. Miss Abby G. Willard of Colchester is a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. E. H. Hiscox.

## PLAINFIELD

Dr. A. W. Chase and George Babcock while hunting Tuesday bagged three partridges, four squirrels and five rabbits.

Joseph Deauls returned Tuesday after seven days' visit to Norwich.

Mrs. John Wood is somewhat improved after her accidental burning Saturday.

The addition to the electric light boiler room is to be completed in a day or two.

Robert Luck is employed at Versailles with the High Tension company.

There is some talk of having a perpetual monument to the memory of the heroes of the village in the Great war that has just come to a close. The project has been heartily accepted by all those to whom the plan has been mentioned and no doubt will be taken up later by the men and women who are at present busy with several other projects connected with the war.

## STAFFORD SPRINGS

Stafford has exceeded its quota in the united war work drive. Tuesday morning \$2,200 had been subscribed and there was still more to come in.

The quota was 2,000.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bradway were in Jamaica, L. I., last week, where they were called by the illness of Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Magill.

Corporal George J. Gary has returned to Camp Humphreys, Va., after ten days' furlough spent in Stafford Springs.

Deputy Sheriff Fisk of Huntington, Mass., came here Monday night and arrested Ralph Cole and took him back to Huntington Tuesday morning. Mr. Cole registered for the first time. He was called for duty but did not

report, and this was the cause of his being taken into custody this week.

The night school is now in full swing. There were 50 registered Monday evening and more are expected. Opportunity will be given to all who wish to carry on their school work as well as to others who have not had any schooling in this country.

John M. Leach declined to be a candidate for re-election as warden of the borough and the citizens' caucus nominated James Sheppard, Jr.

William H. Heald, who has been clerk of the borough for 22 years, also declined renomination and Charles H. Moore was named for the place. The citizens' ticket will probably be the only one in the field at the borough election in December.

## MYSTIC

George Irvin, 30, died Tuesday morning at Lawrence hospital, New London, where he was taken Saturday suffering from intestinal trouble. He was born in Mystic, the son of Alexander and Helen Gore Barker Irving, and was a farmer. He has been in poor health for many months. He leaves a sister, Mrs. Helen Cutler, of Providence, and a brother, John Irving, of Poquoson.

Henrietta Marie Klippel, the three weeks' old daughter of Henry and Hattie Hoover Klippel, died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hoover, on Station place, Tuesday morning, having been ill for a week. The father of the child is at Camp Meade, Md.

Mrs. Bergen I. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Maine and Mrs. William Cromwell have returned from Providence, where they attended the wedding of Miss Mildred Gates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gates, and John Riley of Providence. Miss Gates is a cousin of Mrs. Greene and is a frequent visitor in Mystic.

Private James Arnold and Sergeant William Kennedy have returned to Camp Devens, after a visit to their

parents in Mystic.

Corporal Charles Barnes has returned to Storrs college after a visit at his home in Mystic.

John R. Strickland, a teamster, died at his home on New London road on Monday from pneumonia following influenza. He was born in Greenville June 18, 1874, and has been a resident of Mystic for about ten years. He leaves his wife and five small children, two of whom are critically ill, also five sisters and two brothers.

## COLCHESTER

F. H. Bartlett of New Haven was in town Monday.

The Old Guard band held a rehearsal Monday evening in the parlor of the engine house.

Charles T. Wilson of Worcester was the guest of friends in town Monday.

Oliver Woodhouse lodge, K. of P., met in Pythian hall Tuesday evening. Several members of George S. Hull lodge, Lebanon, were visitors. One application was received. After the work of the evening a social hour was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Baker are guests of their sons in New Britain for a few days.

Supervisor Libby was in Norwich Tuesday evening attending a group meeting.

Word was received here Saturday of the death of Albert C. Phelps in France from bronchial pneumonia. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius W. Phelps of Westchester. He was a graduate of Bacon academy and was at work in New Britain when he was called to go to the front.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Pease have moved their household goods from East Haddam to the tenement in Asa B. Taylor's house on Norwich avenue.

Dwight H. Wickwires, who died recently in France, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Wickwires of New Haven, formerly of this place. He was a graduate of Bacon academy. He was a grandson of Mrs. D. W. Hakes

...and with Navy Officers, it's a little over 80%

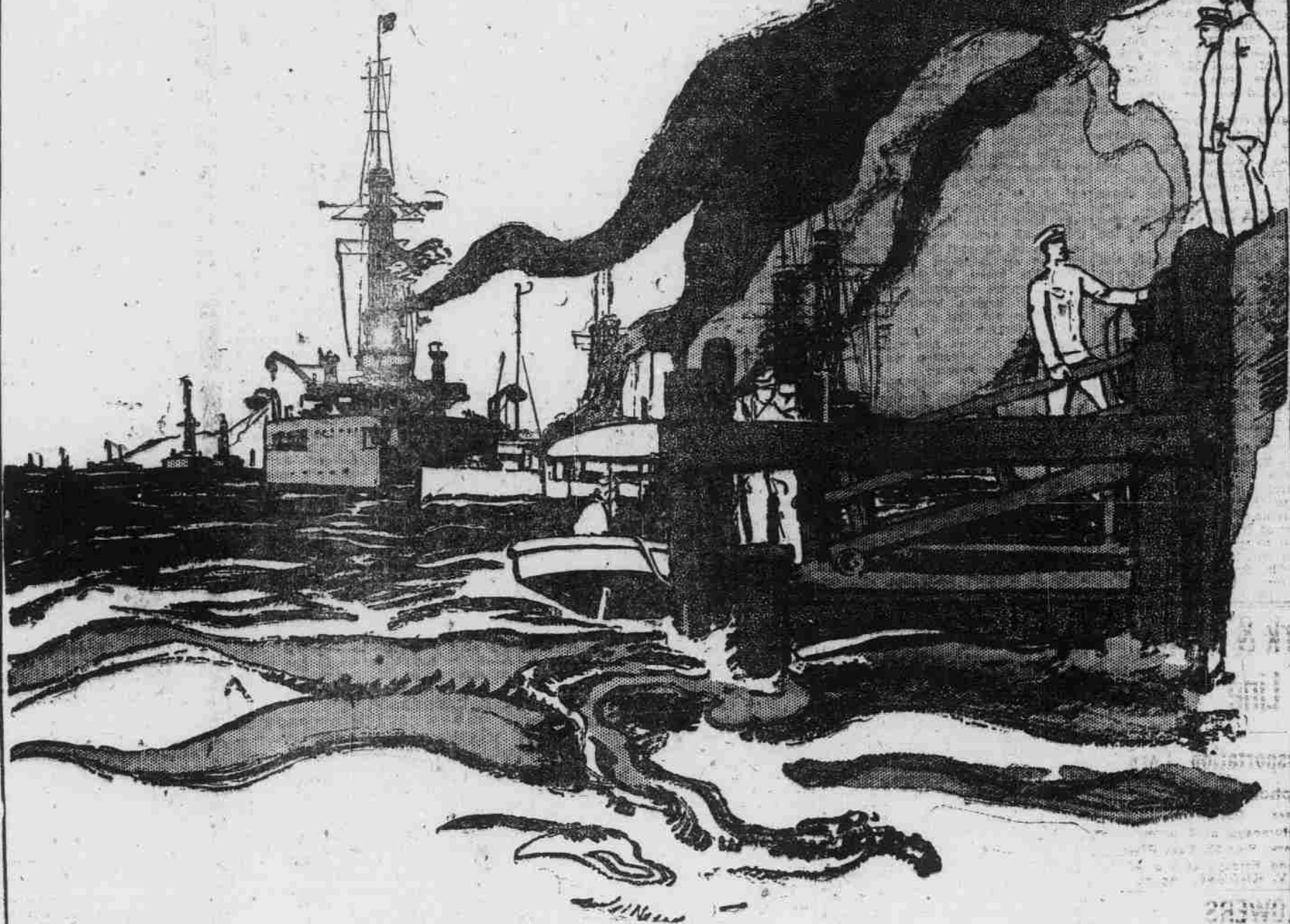
## A fact:

Sales reports show that throughout the U. S. Navy—on battleships, cruisers, destroyers and all other types of naval vessels—over 80% of all the cigarettes sold in Officers' Mess are Fatimas. Among the men too, of course, Fatimas are a big favorite.

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churches of America to raise funds for missionary work. The music was unusually fine. A victory service was held in the evening. The rainstorm kept many from attending.

Shubael Blanchard attained his 60th birthday last week. Mr. Blanchard is unusually well and remarkably active for one of his years.

Mrs. Sarah Moffitt has an orange tree with several well developed oranges upon it which makes a very attractive window decoration.

Mrs. H. P. Harrington and daughter, Mrs. H. Denham Arnold, are visiting relatives in Worcester, Leominster and Fitchburg, Mass.

It is surprising how near a young widow can come to proposing to a man without actually doing so.

## CLARK'S CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bakken of Rhode Island were guests over the week end of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Clarke.

Miss Agnes Sullivan finished teaching here this week. Miss Anna Fitzgerald of Hampton is her successor.

Thursday evening, parents and friends and the school gathered at the home of Mrs. Patrick J. Navine to give Miss Agnes Sullivan a farewell surprise party. The evening was spent in playing games, singing and dancing. Miss Sullivan was an excellent teacher and it is with regret that this town loses her services. She has been teaching here for the past year and a quarter, but has taken a school in another town.

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